# REVISED SENATE

# STATE & LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE CALENDAR

# 8:00 A.M. TUESDAY, APRIL 21, 2009

## **LEGISLATIVE PLAZA ROOM 12**

#### **COMMITTEE MEMBERS**:

KETRON (R) CHAIRMAN	BURCHETT $(R)$	Norris (R)
FINNEY (D) VICE CHAIRMAN	FAULK (R)	TRACY(R)
HAYNES (D) SECRETARY	Harper (D)	YAGER(R)

# TENNESSEE HOUSING DEVELOPMENT AGENCY TED FELLMAN, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

# TRICOR

PATRICIA WEILAND, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES COMMISSIONER DEBORAH E. STORY

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS
COMMISSIONER JOHN A. KEYS

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# **REGULAR CALENDAR**

#### 1. \*SB 1424 by \*Stanley (HB 2242 by \*Todd)

Development Districts - As introduced, discontinues appointment of specified members of the general assembly as members on the board of directors of district management corporations and local neighborhood development corporations. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 84 and Title 13, Chapter 13.

# 2. SB 2300 by \*Kyle, Berke, Henry, McNally, Yager (\*HB 2318 by \*Winningham, Hackworth, Brooks K)

Energy - As introduced, requires department of finance and administration to develop a plan for ensuring state-owned facilities have individual energy meters by 2010; includes an electric vehicle in the definition of "energy-efficient vehicle" for purposes of provisions governing energy-efficient state-owned vehicles; requires that statewide building construction safety standards include provisions for energy efficiency. Amends TCA Title 4, Ch 3, 22; Title 12, Ch3; Title 67, Ch 6; Title 68, Ch 120 Title 71, Ch.5

#### 3. \*SB 1833 by \*Kyle (HB 1857 by \*Miller L)

Election Laws - As introduced, clarifies that counties using computerized voting machines are allowed to use ballot-on-demand technology for either early voting, election day voting, or both; requires coordinator of elections to promulgate rules for use of ballot-on-demand technology, including security of machines. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 5.

#### 4. \*SB 1887 by \*Kyle (HB 2126 by \*Turner M)

Campaigns and Campaign Finance - As introduced, decreases aggregate amount individual can contribute to candidates and all PACs to \$25,000 every two years. - Amends TCA Section 2-10-312.

#### 5. SB 2191 by \*Kyle, Finney L (\*HB 2238 by \*Odom)

Ethics - As introduced, allows ethics commission to provide information on the status of a complaint to the named complainant and the alleged violator. - Amends TCA Section 3-6-102; Section 3-6-107; Section 3-6-117; Section 3-6-202 and Section 3-6-308.

### 6. \*SB 0164 by \*Ketron (HB 0505 by \*Todd)

Ethics - As introduced, imposes certain deadlines for issuance of certain advisory opinions and informal responses issued by the ethics commission or its staff; provides, in certain cases, for review and oversight by the attorney general. - Amends TCA Title 3, Chapter 6.

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#### 7. \*SB 0603 by \*Burchett (HB 1464 by \*Shepard)

Public Utilities - As introduced, adds costs to list of fees and penalties that may be recovered against a pipeline corporation in default. - Amends TCA Title 65 & Title 67.

### 8 \*SB 1514 by \*Burchett (HB 1683 by \*Brooks H)

Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, extends provisions on reemployment of teachers after retirement from June 30, 2010, to June 30, 2011. - Amends TCA Section 8-36-821.

#### 9. SB 1539 by \*Burchett (\*HB 0875 by \*Haynes)

Utilities, Utility Districts - As introduced, specifies that certain supplemental petitions are not required to be submitted to the utility management review board. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 82, Part 3.

#### 10. SB 1540 by \*Burchett (\*HB 0876 by \*Haynes)

Utilities, Utility Districts - As introduced, clarifies certain terms for the merger, consolidation, or transfer of assets of utility districts. - Amends TCA Title 7, Ch2, Pt 2.

#### 11. \*SB 2085 by \*Burchett (HB 2168 by \*Armstrong)

Naming and Designating - Names Knoxville, Tennessee, National Guard Armory in honor of the late Colonel Russell Austin Newman, USA, Retired. -

#### 12. SB 2186 by \*Faulk (\*HB 1841 by \*Niceley)

Political Parties - As introduced, urges the state executive committees of each statewide political party to jointly establish a calendar of appearances in each county enabling their respective gubernatorial candidates to appear together during the time between the primary and general elections. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 13, Part 1.

#### 13. \*SB 1166 by \*Finney L (HB 1387 by \*Halford)

Taxes, Real Property - As introduced, specifies procedures for sale of property purchased at a delinquent tax sale for municipal taxes only. - Amends TCA Title 6, Chapter 55, Part 2 and Title 67, Chapter 5.

#### 14. SB 2091 by \*Finney L (\*HB 1946 by \*Maddox)

Growth and Development - As introduced, specifies that if the regional area outside of the municipal boundaries is less than 50 percent of the entire regional area then only one member of a municipal planning commission shall be appointed from the regional area outside the municipal boundaries regardless of the number of members on a municipal planning commission designated as a regional planning commission. - Amends TCA Section 13-3-102.

#### 15. SB 1184 by \*Haynes (\*HB 1160 by \*Fraley, Jones U, Shepard)

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, allows person to transport alcoholic beverages into a dry county in excess of any quantity limitations if such person is using such alcoholic beverages in the manufacture of baked goods; requires purchase of alcoholic beverages from licensed retailers. Amends TCA Title 39, Ch 17, Part 7 & Title 57, Ch 3.

#### 16. \*SB 2116 by \*Norris (HB 2177 by \*Ferguson)

Zoning - As introduced, allows county to create board of zoning appeals with up to seven members instead of 3 or 5; allows Knox County to create board of zoning appeals with up to 11 members instead of 5, 7 or 9. - Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 7.

### 17. SB 2027 by \*Yager (\*HB 1822 by \*Winningham)

Utilities, Utility Districts - As introduced, removes the special provision limiting the per meeting amount of \$250 for Huntsville Utility District commissioners in Scott County, thus applying the general law which sets the payment at \$300 per meeting to such commissioners. - Amends TCA Section 7-82-308.

#### 18. \*SB 0139 by \*Ketron (HB 0519 by \*Todd)

Campaigns and Campaign Finance - As introduced, prohibits contributions from PACs after the 10th day before an election to coincide with reporting date of pre-primary and pre-general election statements. - Amends TCA Section 2-10-117.

#### 19. \*SB 0161 by \*Ketron (HB 0507 by \*Todd)

State Government - As introduced, abolishes the Tennessee ethics commission, transfers the powers and duties of the Tennessee ethics commission to the registry of election finance, and renames the registry of election finance as the commission of ethics and election finance. - Amends TCA Title 2; Title 3; Title 4 and Title 8.

#### 20. \*SB 0162 by \*Ketron (HB 0506 by \*Todd)

Sunset Laws - As introduced, transfers the duties of the ethics commission to the registry of election finance if the ethics commission automatically terminates and ceases to exist on June 30, 2009, pursuant to the provisions of the sunset law. - Amends TCA Title 2; Title 3; Title 4 and Title 8.